



California

NAB Coronado

Facility and Location

Naval Amphibious Base (NAB) Coronado is located between San Diego Bay and the Pacific Ocean. It is a major West Coast command center for special warfare operations and one of only two naval amphibious bases maintained by the Navy. NAB Coronado consists of approximately 370 acres of developed land and 257 acres of coastal beaches leased from the state and used for naval training exercises. Since its establishment in 1943, the mission of NAB Coronado has been to provide facilities and services as required for the administrative and logistics support of the operating forces, tenant commands, organizations, and other U.S. and Allied units to support training and operations.

Media Sampled and Findings

Drinking Water — In 2011, one sample reported no detection. In 2010, one sample detected perchlorate at 0.92 ppb. In 2008, one sample detected perchlorate at 0.78 ppb. In 2007, two of two samples detected perchlorate at 0.27 and 0.42 ppb.

Appropriate Actions

Not Applicable. All samples were below the California Maximum Contaminant Level for drinking water of 6 ppb.